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As part of McKee Library’s ongoing mission to promote reading and literacy, the library started a bi-monthly author interviews feature on Tumblr, showcasing a diverse group of authors who cover a myriad of topics.

Tumblr is a microblogging platform and social media website that the library uses to promote its services, highlight new material, and interact with other libraries around the world. SAU faculty who have or will be featured include Michael Cafferky, Giselle Hasel, John Nixon, Ben McArthur, and Professor Emeritus Jack Blanco.

In addition to highlighting SAU faculty who have published books, the blog also features local, national, and international authors. One of the better known authors who has contributed is Alexander McCall Smith, author of the very popular The No. 1 Ladies’ Detective Agency Series (Penguin/Random House) and The Novel Habits of Happiness. Other authors include Ben Tarnoff, Layne Mosler, and Lucas Mann.

Other new features on Tumblr include a monthly Librarian Research Tips feature, From the Farm, a look at the development and progress of SAU’s farm, and “The Write Note,” writing tips from Research and Writing Center Director Sonja Fordham.

If you are a published book author (or have a recommendation) who would like to be featured on the library’s Tumblr, please email Deyse at dbravo@southern.edu.

### Library News

#### Campus Research Day, club displays, and midterm break

**Campus Research Day**

The deadline to participate in Campus Research Day on Friday, December 4, 2015, is November 12, 2015. All submissions must be made online at http://southern.libguides.com/ResearchDay.

Please contact Katie McGrath at kmcgrath@southern.edu with questions.

**Club Displays**

McKee Library welcomes school clubs and groups to place displays in the library throughout the school year. To schedule a display, please contact Deyse Bravo at dbravo@southern.edu.

#### Ask Us

Need to ask a quick question but don’t have time to walk to the library? The library now offers online chat! Just look for the green button on the right side of the library’s website that says “Ask Us”—someone will be happy to help you find what you are looking for.

**Library Hours for Midterm Break**

- **Thursday, October 15**
  - Library Closes at 5 p.m.

- **Friday, October 16**
  - Library Closed

- **Sunday, October 18, 2015**
  - Library Open from 6 p.m. to 11 p.m.

**Art & Displays in the Library**

- **From the Vault: J. Harvey Kellogg**
  - Library’s Main Floor
  - Full Semester, 2015

- **Life Magazines Throughout the Decades**
  - Library’s Main Floor
  - September - December, 2015

- **Paintings**
  - Works by Heidi Eisele Olson
  - Library’s Main floor
  - August 31 - December 1, 2015

- **Paintings**
  - Works by Cristina Pechero
  - Library’s Second floor
  - August 31 - December 1, 2015

#### Get to Know the McKee Library Collection

- **Hispanic Heritage**
  - Main Floor, near elevator
  - October 2 - November 2, 2015

- **Religious Films**
  - Main Floor, near stairs
  - October 8 - November 9, 2015

- **With Thanks & Giving**
  - Main Floor, near circulation
  - October 29 - November 30, 2015

- **On the Move: Transportation**
  - Second Floor
  - October 23 - December 9, 2015

- **The Middle East**
  - Knowledge Commons
  - October 1 - November 4, 2015

- **Fall Hours of Operation**

  **Library Hours**
  - **Sunday, 12 p.m. - 11 p.m.**
  - **Monday - Thursday: 7:45 a.m. - 11 p.m.**
  - **Friday: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.**
  - **Saturday: Closed**

  **Research & Writing Center Hours**
  - **Sunday: 2 p.m. - 9 p.m.**
  - **Monday - Thursday: 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.**
  - **Friday: 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.**
  - **Saturday: Closed**

#### KnowledgeExchange@Southern Instutional Repository

**By the Numbers**

- **Full-Text Downloads By Month**
  - August 2015 - 3,184
  - July 2015 - 3,539

- **Downloads in the Past Year**
  - 58,131 as of September 22, 2015

- **Full-Text Downloads To-Date**
  - 107,618 as of September 22, 2015

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- Technology 5
- Business & Economics 5
- Psychology 6
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8 MUST READ BOOKS

Let's Go for a Ride

Recommended by Katie McGrath
Associate Library Director

Across America by Bicycle
Alice Honeywell & Bobbi Montgomery
GV1045 .H66 2010

Bike Snob: Systematically and Mercilessly Realigning the World of Cycling
Bike Snob NYC Staff
GV1041 .W46 2010

Cycle for Life: Bike and Body Health and Maintenance
Nicole Cooke
GV1041 .C676 2009

Mountain Bike!: A Manual of Beginning to Advanced Technique
William Nealy
GV1056 .N43 1992

The Big Book of Bicycling: Everything You Need to Know, from Buying Your First Bike to Riding Your Best
Emily Furia
GV1041 .B536 2011

The Enlightened Cyclist: Commuter Angst, Dangerous Drivers, and Other Obstacles on the Path to Two-Wheeled Transcendence
Bike Snob NYC Staff
GV1041 .E65 2012

Ride with the Wind
Charlotte Hamlin
SDA GV1044 .H36 1997

Eat, Sleep, Ride: How I Braved Bears, Badlands, and Big Breakfasts in My Quest to Cycle the Tour Divide
Paul Howard
GV1049.2 .T73 H69 2011

In Memoriam
Films available electronically or in the media department

Recommended by Stan Cottrell
Media & Technical Services Librarian

A Beautiful Mind
Remembering John Nash
Media PN 1997.2 .B438 2006

Awakenings
Remembering Robin Williams

The Lord of the Rings Trilogy
Remembering Christopher Lee
Media PN 1997.2 .L673 2002

Still Alice
Remembering Richard Glatzer
Media PN 1997.2 .S85 2015

Other recommendations:

Yes: Acoustic
Remembering Chris Squire
Films on Demand

Shakespeare's Sonnets
Remembering Roger Rees
Films on Demand

Lawrence of Arabia
Remembering Omar Sharif

Star Trek II
Remembering Leonard Nimoy
Media PN 1997 .S737 1982

October 2015
Titles available in the periodicals department

Nature
September 3, 2015

Recommended articles:
“Pluto Pressure Data Pose an Atmospheric Conundrum” by Witze
“Globalization Trends in Plant Naturalization” by Rejmánek

Creation
October-December 2015

Recommended articles:
“Noah’s Ark and Salvation: Another Reason the Flood Could Not Have Been Local” by Hartnett
“Aboriginal Knowledge Amazes Evolutionist Astronomer” by Catchpoole

Audubon
September-October 2015

Recommended articles:
“The Parrotbill and the Mountain” by Jarvis
“At Home in the North” by Opar

Effects of Vitamin D Deficiency
Resources available in library databases

British Journal of Midwifery
Available in CINAHL Complete

Recommended articles: Volume 23, 2015
“The Importance of Vitamin D” by Cowbrough
“Promoting Vitamin D Uptake in Infants and Children” by Patience

Maternal and Child Health Journal
Available in PsychINFO

Recommended articles: January 2015
“Maternal-Fetal Impact of Vitamin D Deficiency” by Weinert, et al.
“Lifestyle and Dietary Habits of an Obese Pregnant Cohort” by Lindsay, et al.
In Visible Movement: Nuyorican Poetry from the Sixties to Slam
Urayoan Noel

Since the 1960s, Nuyorican poets have explored and performed Puerto Rican identity both on and off the page. Today, Nuyorican poetry engages with contemporary social issues.

PS153.P83N49 2014

Other Recommendations:

The Art of Ancient Egypt
Gay Robins
N5350.R63 2008

The Painted Word
Tom Wolfe
ND195.W64 2008

October 2015
Lifblood: How to Change the World, One Dead Mosquito at A Time
Alex Perry
This is the true story of the courageous mission to eradicate malaria from the globe.
RA644 .M2P47 2011

Dealing with the Rejection and Praise of Man
Bob Sorge & Edie Veach, editor
Rejection from other people can distress, wound, and imprison the soul. Equally harmful, the praise of man is also a snare, capable of disqualifying God’s servants from their highest inheritance.
BF575 .R35S67 1999

BiblioTech
John Palfrey
Z674.75 .J58P38 2015

Bullying
Faye Mishna
BF637 .B85M57 2012

Garbology: Our Dirty Love Affair with Trash
Edward Humes
This narrative science book about trash digs through our epic piles of trash to reveal not just what we throw away, but who we are and where our society is headed.
TD788.H86 2013

The Software Craftsman: Professionalism, Pragmatism, Pride
Sandro Mancuso
Despite advanced tools and methodologies, software projects continue to fail. Why? Too many organizations still view software development as just another production line.
QA76.76 .D47 M3614 2015

The Dark Net: Inside the Digital Underworld
Kaiser Fung
Beyond the familiar online world that most of us inhabit lies a vast and often hidden network of sites, communities, and cultures where freedom is pushed to its limits.
TK5105.875 .J57B378 2015

Streaming: Movies, Media, and Instant Access
Wheeler Winston Dixon
Streaming touches on every aspect of the shift to digital production and distribution. It explains not only how the new technology is affecting movies, music, books, and games, but also how instant access is permanently changing the habits of viewers and influencing our culture.
TK5105.386 .D59 2013

Out of Poverty: Sweatshops in the Global Economy
Benjamin Powell
This book provides a comprehensive defense of third-world sweatshops. It explains how these sweatshops provide the best available opportunity to workers.
HD2337.P694 2014

The End of Plenty: The Race to Feed a Crowded World
Joel K. Bourne Jr.
This book looks at the state of the food supply and food security in a world of rapidly expanding population and the scientists and farmers working to meet them in the face of a changing climate.
HD9000.5.B58 2015

The Value Mindset
Erik Stern
A McKee Library e-Book

Sovereign Debt
Robert W. Kolb, editor
HJ8015 .S68 2011

Bookkeeping Essentials
Steven M. Bragg
HF5636 .B832 2011

The Elements of Investing
Burton G. Malkiel
HG4521 .M2827 2013

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PsycARTICLES
The database contains more than 150,000 articles from 70 journals: 50 published by the APA and its imprint, the Educational Publishing Foundation, and 13 from allied organizations.

PsycINFO
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Focus on Writing
Four reasons to assign in-class writing from Engaging Ideas by John C. Bean

1. Write at the beginning of class to probe a subject. Give students a question that reviews previous material or stimulates interest in what’s coming.

2. Write during class to refocus a lagging discussion or cool off a heated one.

3. Write during class to ask questions or express confusion. When lecturing on tough material, stop for a few minutes and ask students to respond to a writing prompt like this: “If you have understood my lecture so far, summarize my main points in your own words. If you are currently confused about something, explain to me what is puzzling you; ask me the questions you need answered.”

4. Write at the end of class to sum up a lecture or discussion. Ask students about the most significant thing they learned or the muddiest point in the material covered.